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SUBJ: EVALUATION OF MISSION C056C

1. CAMERA B 120 WAS USED IN MISSION C056C FLOWN ON 7 APRIL 1966. PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED IN THE FILED.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE BUT A HEAVY HAZE LAYER PRECLUDED AN ACCURATE DETERMINATION OF THE RESOLUTION.

B. 9R SIDE: EDGE STATIC WAS PRESENT ALONG BOTH EDGES OF THE FILM. ROLLER CHATTER WAS NOTED ON BOTH EDGES OF THE FILM BUT WAS MORE SEVERE AND CONTINUOUS ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE. THERE ARE 19 HEAT SPLICES LOCATED IN THE MATERIAL OF THIS SIDE. AN INTERMITTENT IRREGULAR PLUS DENSITY STREAK WAS NOTED ALONG THE OUTBOARD EDGE BETWEEN FRAMES 1148 THRU 1320. ALSO, HORIZONTAL PLUS DENSITY STREAKS ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE WERE NOTED AT 2.0" INTERVALS IN THE LAST 1/4 OF THE MISSION RECORD. A MANUFACTURING SPLICE IS LOCATED IN FRAME 1083. IT IS ACCOMPANIED BY THE USUAL STATIC AND HANDLING MARKS.

C. 9L SIDE: OUTBOARD EDGE STATIC AND INBOARD ROLLER CHATTER WERE NOTED THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THERE IS A ROW OF MINUS DENSITY DOTS 2.18" FROM INBOARD AND 1.55" APART FROM THE HEAD TO FRAME 391. ANOTHER ROW OF MINUS DENSITY

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DOTS LOCATED 3.59" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE AND 1.55" APART ARE PRESENT FROM FRAMES 10 THRU 277. AN INTERMITTENT WAVERING PLUS DENSITY STREAK LOCATED WITHIN 1.5" OF THE INBOARD EDGE IS PRESENT IN FRAMES 1332 THRU 1463. DIAGONAL PLUS DENSITY STREAKS APPROXIMATELY 0.5" LONG AND LOCATED WITHIN 1.2" OF INBOARD EDGE OCCUR 2.0" APART IN AN INTERMITTENT PATTERN BETWEEN FRAMES 250 THRU 1463. A MANUFACTURING SPLICE IS LOCATED IN FRAME 1329 ACCOMPANIED WITH THE USUAL STATIC AND HANDLING MARKS.

D. BOTH SIDES: MATERIAL WAS EDITED FROM THE ORIGINAL NEGATIVE BETWEEN CLOCK FRAMES 450 AND 496. THE MISSION WAS TITLED CONSECUTIVELY FROM FRAME 10 THRU 1599.

E. THERE WERE NO MAJOR CAMERA OR PROCESSING MALFUNCTIONS.

3. POSITIVE:

A. PI SUITABILITY WAS FAIR ONLY DUE TO THE HEAVY HAZE AND CLOUD COVER.

B. PRINTING AND PROCESSING WAS GOOD.

C. CLOUD COVER OBSCURED OR DEGRADED APPROXIMATELY 45 PERCENT OF THIS MISSION.

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